

Review of Recent State Regulation Changes using the Secretary of State Website

The following instructions are designed to help you find the most recent changes to licensure regulations for health facilities using the Secretary of State's website: <http://www.sos.state.co.us/CCR/Welcome.do>.

Step 1. Once there, click "Browse the CCR by Rule Number."

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Step 1

Note: State regulations are published in the Code of Colorado Regulations (CCR). Health facility regulations are codified under 6 CCR 1011-1.

Step 2. Scroll down to CCR Number 1000 and click "Department of Public Health and Environment."

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200	Department of Revenue
300	Department of Education
400	Department of Natural Resources
500	Department of Human Services
600	Department of Transportation
700	Department of Regulatory Agencies
800	Department of Personnel and Administration
900	Department of Law
1000	Department of Public Health and Environment
1008	Department of Human Services
1100	Department of Labor and Employment

Step 2

Step 3. Scroll down to CCR Number 1011 and click on Health Facilities and Emergency Medical Services Division.

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Department: 1000 Department of Public Health and Environment

CCR Number	Agency Name
1001	Air Quality Control Commission
1002	Water Quality Control Commission (1002 Series)
1003	Water Quality Control Commission (1003 Series)
1004	Executive Director of Department of Public Health and Environment
1005	Laboratory Services Division - Rules promulgated by the Colorado Board of Health
1006	Health and Environmental Information and Statistics Division - promulgated by Colo Bd of Health
1007	Hazardous Materials and Waste Management Division
1008	Alcohol and Drug Abuse Division (see Dept of Human Services: CCR 500, 2500 series)
1009	Disease Control and Environmental Epidemiology Division - promulgated by Colo Bd of Health
1010	Division of Environmental Health and Sustainability - promulgated by Colorado Board of Health
1011	Health Facilities and Emergency Medical Services Division (1011, 1015 Series) - by Colo Bd of Health
1012	RESERVED (Formerly Local Health Services Unit)

Note: the CCR # "1011" is part of the health facility regulatory citation: 6 CCR 1011-1

Step 3

Step 4. Click the regulatory chapter that you are interested in. (Scroll down to see the entire listing.) For the purposes of this exercise, let's say you are interested in recent changes to Chapter 2: General Licensure Standards. Click on the link next to 6 CCR 1011-1 Chap 02.

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Department: 1000 Department of Public Health and Environment
Agency: 1011 Health Facilities and Emergency Medical Services Division (1011, 1015 Series) - by Colo Bd of Health

CCR Number	CCR Title
6 CCR 1011-1	STANDARDS FOR HOSPITALS AND HEALTH FACILITIES
6 CCR 1011-1 Chap 02	STANDARDS FOR HOSPITALS AND HEALTH FACILITIES: CHAPTER II - GENERAL LICENSURE STANDARDS
6 CCR 1011-1 Chap 03	STANDARDS FOR HOSPITALS AND HEALTH FACILITIES: CHAPTER III - GENERAL BUILDING AND FIRE SAFETY
6 CCR 1011-1 Chap 04	STANDARDS FOR HOSPITALS AND HEALTH FACILITIES: CHAPTER IV - GENERAL HOSPITALS
6 CCR 1011-1 Chap 05	STANDARDS FOR HOSPITALS AND HEALTH FACILITIES: CHAPTER V - LONG TERM CARE FACILITIES
6 CCR 1011-1 Chap 06	STANDARDS FOR HOSPITALS AND HEALTH FACILITIES: CHAPTER VI - ACUTE TREATMENT UNITS
6 CCR 1011-1 Chap 07	STANDARDS FOR HOSPITALS AND HEALTH FACILITIES: CHAPTER VII - ASSISTED LIVING RESIDENCES
6 CCR 1011-1 Chap 08	STANDARDS FOR HOSPITALS AND HEALTH FACILITIES: CHAPTER VIII - FACILITIES FOR PERSONS WITH DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES

Step 4

Step 5. Click the first link of the list of the following screen (i.e., "DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENT")

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CCR Title: 6 CCR 1011-1 Chap 02 STANDARDS FOR HOSPITALS AND HEALTH FACILITIES: CHAPTER II - GENERAL LICENSURE STANDARDS

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Note: Clicking on the links addressed in Steps 5 and 6 are somewhat counterintuitive, so make sure that you do not skip these steps.

Step 6. Click on "History" in the upper left hand corner of the screen.

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Health Facilities Regulation Division

STANDARDS FOR HOSPITALS AND HEALTH FACILITIES

CHAPTER II - GENERAL LICENSURE STANDARDS

6 CCR 1011-1 Chap 02

[Editor's Notes follow the text of the rules at the end of this CCR Document.]

Copies of these regulations may be obtained at cost by contacting:

Step 7. Find the effective date of the regulatory proposal that you are interested in and click the corresponding tracking number link. For the purposes of this exercise, let's say that you are interested in the rule effective 09/30/2011.

History

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CCR Number	Effective Date	Version	AG Opinion	Tracking Number	Filing Type
6 CCR 1011-1 Chap 02	05/01/2009	1	04/29/2009	2009-00317	
6 CCR 1011-1 Chap 02	08/25/2009	2	08/25/2009	2009-00763	Admin Change by SOS
6 CCR 1011-1 Chap 02	04/30/2010	3	04/16/2010	2010-00253	Admin Change by SOS
6 CCR 1011-1 Chap 02	09/15/2010	4	09/27/2010	2010-00835	Emergency
6 CCR 1011-1 Chap 02	12/30/2010	5	11/23/2010	2010-00882	Permanent Rule
6 CCR 1011-1 Chap 02	12/30/2010	6	12/16/2010	2010-01182	Admin Change by SOS
6 CCR 1011-1 Chap 02	04/30/2011	7	03/25/2011	2011-00074	Permanent Rule
6 CCR 1011-1 Chap 02	09/30/2011	8	08/26/2011	2011-00396	Permanent Rule

Step 7

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Step 8. When you come to the following screen, scroll down.

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Tracking Number	2011-00396
Type of Filing	Permanent Rule
Department	1000 Department of Public Health and Environment
Agency	1011 Health Facilities and Emergency Medical Services Division (1011, 1015 Series) - by Colo Bd of Health
CCR Number	6 CCR 1011-1 Chap 02
CCR Title	STANDARDS FOR HOSPITALS AND HEALTH FACILITIES: CHAPTER II - GENERAL LICENSURE STANDARDS
Adopting Agency	
Hearing Date	08/17/2011
Hearing Time	10:00 AM
Hearing Location	Sabin-Cleere Conference Room, Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment, Bldg. A, 4300 Cherry Creek Drive, South, Denver, CO. 80246

Step 8

Step 9. Find the desired information and click on the appropriate links. The row titled "Description of Subjects/Issues" gives you a summary of the rule change. You will see various links, including but not limited to, the proposed rule (which is the rule as presented by the Department to the Board of Health), the basis and purpose, the regulatory analysis, and the adopted rule (which will contain any amendments made by BOH during the rulemaking hearing.)

The screenshot shows a Mozilla Firefox browser window with the address bar displaying www.sos.state.co.us/CCR/eDocketDetails.do?trackingNum=2011-00396. The page content is a table with the following rows:

Proposed Rule	ProposedRuleAttach2011-00396.DOC
Additional Information	AddInfoAttach2011-00396.DOC
Description of Subjects/Issues	The purpose of this hearing is to receive public comments on amendments to the criteria regarding the naming of licensed health care entities and reduction of fees for changing a license name or address.
Public Name	Laurie Schoder
Public Title	Policy Analyst
Public Telephone	303-692-2832
Public Email	laurie.schoder@state.co.us
Submitted in response to issues raised by COLS/OLLS? N	
Purpose/Objective of Rule	Please see attached.
Basis And Purpose	BasisandPurposeAttachment2011-00396.PDF
Regulatory /Fiscal Analysis	RegulatoryAnalysisAttachment2011-00396.PDF
Statutory Authority	Sections 25-1.5-103, 25-3-101, et seq., 25-27-101, et seq., and 25-27.5-101, et seq., C.R.S.
Adopted Rules	AdoptedRules02011-00396.PDF
Adopted Date	08/17/2011
Attorney General Opinion	08/26/2011
Effective Date	09/30/2011
Inserted into CCR Date	09/16/2011

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